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R 140508Z JUN 77
FM AMEMBASSY TEHRAN
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 3044
INFO AMCONSUL ISFAHAN POUCH
AMEMBASSY DAMASCUS
USINT BAGHDAD

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E.O.11652: N/A
TAGS: PINT, PINS, IR, SHUM

SUBJ: LETTER TO PRESIDENT REGARDING RELIGIOUS ASSASSINS

REF: ISFAHAN 0021 (NOTAL)

1. EMBASSY HAS RECEIVED NOTE ADDRESSED TO AMBASSADOR
CONTAINING COPY OF LETTER SUPPOSEDLY SENT DIRECTLY TO
PRESIDENT CARTER (COPIES BEING POUCHED NEA/IRN) REGARDING
13 INDIVIDUALS GIVEN DEATH AND PRISON SENTENCES FOR ASSASSIN-
ATION OF PROMINENT ISFAHAN AYATOLLAH SHAMSABADI (REFTEL).

2. LETTER DESCRIBES CONDEMNATION OF "CLERGYMEN" AND IS SIGNED
"THE RELIGIOUS COMMUNITY OF ISFAHAN", BUT DOES NOT MENTION
ASSASSINATION FOR WHICH GROUP WAS TRIED AND FOUND GUILTY IN
CIVIL COURT. ADVANCED DISINGENUITY OF THIS EFFORT BY RELIGIOUS
RIGHT WING TO INVOLVE US IN PHONEY HUMAN RIGHTS ISSUE SUGGESTS
PERHAPS GROUP'S IRAQI FRIENDS. COPY OF LETTER ALSO SENT TO
EMBASSY DAMASCUS AS WELL, WHICH FORWARDED IT TO US.
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Message Attributes

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